



## Credit Release Authorization

This is a release for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to obtain one or more consumer/credit reports about you in connection with your application for employment or in the course of your employment or work with the Agency. One or more reports about you may be obtained for employment or work purposes, including evaluating your fitness for employment, work, promotion, reassignment, retention, or access to classified information.

Only individuals in positions designated as Moderate or High Risk Public Trust or those requiring access to Classified National Security Information should complete this form. Individuals in positions designated as Low Risk Non-Sensitive should not complete this form.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby authorize the U.S.  
(Print Name)

Environmental Protection Agency to obtain such report(s) from any consumer/credit reporting agency for employment or work purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Social Security Number)

EPA is authorized to collect this information under Executive Order (E.O.) 10450, Security Requirements for Government Employees. Collection of your Social Security Number is authorized by E.O. 9397, Numbering System for Federal Accounts Relating to Individual Persons. This information is needed to keep records accurate because other people may have the same name and birth date. Completion of this form is voluntary. However, failure to return the completed form may prohibit the Agency from initiating your required background investigation and may affect your eligibility for a smart card identification and access control badge.